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THROUGHPUT WHILE AVOIDING SERVER OVERLOAD BY CONTROLLING THE
RATE OF ESTABLISHING SERVER-SIDE NETWORK CONNECTIONS

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed **for filing** in the above-identified patent application, please find the following documents:

1. Response to Final Office Action (6 pgs.);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.);
3. Authorization of Credit Card Payment in the amount of **\$120** (fee for extension of time); and
4. This Transmittal Letter (1 pg.).

Respectfully submitted,

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